



IFW 2612 \$

RESPONSE TRANSMITTAL AND FEE AUTHORIZATION

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| ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 15162/04130 | | APPLICATION NO. 09/981,700 | | |
| FILING DATE October 17, 2001 | CONFIRMATION NO. 7327 | CUSTOMER NO. 24367 | EXAMINER Jason T. Whipkey | GROUP ART UNIT 2612 |
| APPLICANT(S): Shinya MATSUDA, Takashi MATSUO, Kentaro IIDA and Kazuhiro SHIBATANI | | | | |
| TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD FOR CONNECTING SPLIT IMAGES AND IMAGE SHOOTING APPARATUS | | | | |

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TRANSMITTED HERewith FOR THE ABOVE IDENTIFIED
PATENT APPLICATION IS:

- ☒ (A) A response to the Office Action dated: December 15, 2005
- ☒ (B) A Petition for Extension of Time
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☒ for 3 months;
A Petition for Extension of Time, having been previously filed,
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months
- ☐ (C) A Notice of Appeal. \$
- ☐ (D) An Appellant's Brief on Appeal. \$
- ☐ (E) Other: \$
- ☐ (F) A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27
☐ Small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been previously established
☐ The claims fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below

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June 15, 2006

Date of Deposit

Michael J. DeHaemer

Name of Applicant, Assignee, or Registered Representative

Signature

June 15, 2006

Date of Signature

| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |
|---|---|-------|---------------------------------------|------------------|
| TOTAL | | MINUS | | |
| INDEP. | | MINUS | | |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM | | | | |

SMALL ENTITY

| RATE | ADD'L FEE |
|--------------------|-----------|
| x \$25 | \$ |
| x \$100 | |
| + \$180 | |
| TOTAL ADD'L FEE | \$ 0.00 |

LARGE ENTITY

| RATE | ADD'L FEE |
|--------------------|-----------|
| x \$50 | \$ |
| x \$200 | |
| + \$360 | |
| TOTAL ADD'L FEE | \$ 0.00 |

OR

- ☒ Please charge \$1,020.00 to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260, which includes
☐ the amount of \$ for the claims fee calculated above AND/OR
☒ the amount of \$1,020.00 for the fee for item(s) ☒ (B) ☐ (C) ☐ (D) ☐ (E) ☐ (F)
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees (other than issue fee) required during the pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 18-1260. Please credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-1260.
- ☒ A duplicate copy of this Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization is enclosed.

June 15, 2006

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